IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF SOUTH CAROLINA CHARLESTON DIVISION

South Carolina State Conference of the) Civil Action No. 2:23-cv-01121-DCN
NAACP, Marvin Neal, Robynne Campbell)
De'Ontay Winchester,)
)
Plaintiffs,)
)
V.) NOTICE OF REQUEST FOR
) PROTECTION FOR PROTECTION
Alan Wilson, in his official capacity as) FROM COURT APPEARANCE
Attorney General of South Carolina,)
)
Defendant.)
)

J. Emory Smith, Jr., Deputy Solicitor General, respectfully requests protection from attendance at any hearing or other court appearances in this case on the dates below in 2023 for the reasons noted. Because he is a lead attorney for Defendant Wilson in this case, he respectfully requests that any proceedings be held on different days.

June 26-June 30 – long planned travel

July 12 – trial in Charleston

July 18, 19, 21 & 24– long planned travel

Counsel respectfully requests that proceedings not be scheduled on those days.

Respectfully submitted,

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